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Applicant(s): IGAKI, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2877

Serial No.: 10/081,626

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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CLAIM TO CONVENTION PRIORITY

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application and under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55, applicant(s) claim(s) the benefit of the following prior application(s):

Application(s) filed in: Japan

In the name of: Canon Kabushiki Kaisha

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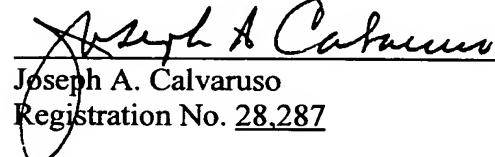
Pursuant to the Claim to Priority, applicant(s) submit(s) a duly certified copy of said foreign application.

A duly certified copy of said foreign application is in the file of application Serial No. , filed .

Respectfully submitted,
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